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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 31, 2009 for which a shortened statutory period of three months ending Saturday October 31, 2009 was set in which to respond, the following amendments and comments constitute a submittal under 37 CFR §1.114 and a request for continued examination (RCE) is submitted. Continued Examination and reconsideration of the rejections is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.